

### 2.13A Nutrition Risk Criteria

#### Exhibit 2.13A - Michigan Risk Codes

## 100 Risk Series - Anthropometric Risk

### Risk   Category   Criteria

101.01 PG     Prepregnancy Underweight, any of the following:

- Prepregnancy Body Mass Index (BMI) below 18.5

Body Mass Index (BMI) Table for Determining Weight Classification for Pregnant Women (1)

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(1) Adapted from the Clinical Guidelines on the Identification, Evaluation and Treatment of Overweight and Obesity in Adults, National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute (NHLBI), National Institutes of Health (NIH). NIH Publication No. 98-4083.

Note: Use the MI-WIC System Prenatal Weight Gain Grid

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102.01	BE BP NPP	<p><u>Postpartum Underweight, any of the following:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Non-breastfeeding women and breastfeeding women who are less than 6 months postpartum, prepregnancy or current Body Mass Index (BMI) below 18.5</li> <li>• Breastfeeding women 6 months or more postpartum, current Body Mass Index (BMI) below 18.5</li> </ul>

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103.01+	IBE IBP IFF C1-C4	<p><u>High-Risk Underweight</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Birth to less than 24 months: At or below the 2.3rd percentile for weight-for-length. *1</li> <li>• Children at or above 24 months: At or below the 5th percentile Body Mass Index (BMI)-for-age. *2</li> </ul> <p>Note: If manually plotted, all anthropometric percentiles should be rounded down to the whole number. This does not apply to measurements.</p>
103.02	IBE IBP IFF C1-C4	<p><u>At-Risk of Underweight</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Birth to less than 24 months: Above the 2.3rd percentile for weight-for-length. and at or below the 5<sup>th</sup> percentile for weight-for-length *1.</li> <li>• Children at or above 24 months: Above the 5th percentile and at or below the 10<sup>th</sup> percentile Body Mass Index (BMI)-for-age *2.</li> </ul> <p>Note: If manually plotted, all anthropometric percentiles should be rounded down to the whole number. This does not apply to measurements.</p>
111.01	PG	<p><u>Prepregnancy Overweight, any of the following:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prepregnancy Body Mass Index (BMI) at or above 25.0</li> </ul> <p>Note: Use the BMI Table for Determining Weight Classification for Pregnant Women found at Risk 101. Also use the MI-WIC System Prenatal Weight Gain Grid.</p>

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112.01 BE, BP  
NPP    Postpartum Overweight, any of the following:

- Non-Breastfeeding women and breastfeeding women who are less than 6 months postpartum, prepregnancy Body Mass Index (BMI) at or above 25.
- Breastfeeding women who are 6 months or more postpartum, current Body Mass Index (BMI) at or above 25.

Note: Use the BMI Table for Determining Weight Classification for Non-Pregnant Women found at Risk Code 102. Prepregnancy weight is a better indicator of weight status than postpartum. EXCEPTION: BMI <18.5 any time during 6 month postpartum is considered possible indicator of poor nutritional intake for women and a risk if pregnancy occurs again.

113.01+ C2-C4    Obese

- At or above the 95th percentile Body Mass Index (BMI)-for-age or  $\geq 95^{\text{th}}$  percentile weight-for-stature. \*2

114.01 IBE, IBP    Overweight or At-Risk of Overweight  
IFF, C1-C4

- C1-C4 Children at or above 24 months of age: at or above the 85<sup>th</sup> and below the 95<sup>th</sup> percentile Body Mass Index (BMI)-for-age. \*2

Have one or more risk factors for being at-risk of becoming overweight. The risk factors are limited to:

- Infants less than 12 months of age, obese mother. Biological mother with BMI at or over 30 at the time of conception or at any point in the first trimester of the pregnancy (BMI must be based on **self reported, by the mother**, pre-pregnancy weight and height or on a measured weight and height documented by staff or other health care provider, see BMI Table below).
- Children at or over 12 months of age, obese mother. Biological mother with BMI at or above 30 at the time of certification (BMI must be based on **self reported, by the mother**, weight and height or on weight and height measurements taken by staff at the time of certification. If the mother is pregnant or has had a baby within the past 6 months, use her prepregnancy weight to assess for obesity since her current weight will be influenced by pregnancy related weight gain, see BMI Table below.)

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- Infants or Children, obese father. Biological father with BMI at or above 30 at the time of certification (BMI must be based on *self reported, by the father*, weight and height or on weight and height measurements taken by staff at the time of certification, see BMI Table below).

Abbreviated Body Mass Index (BMI) Table\*

Height	Inches	Weight (lbs) equal to BMI 30
4' 10"	58	143
4' 11"	59	148
5' 0"	60	153
5' 1"	61	158
5' 2"	62	164
5' 3"	63	169
5' 4"	64	174
5' 5"	65	180
5' 6"	66	186
5' 7"	67	191
5' 8"	68	197
5' 9"	69	203
5' 10"	70	209
5' 11"	71	215
6' 0"	72	220
6' 1"	73	227
6' 2"	74	233
6' 3"	75	240

\*This table may be used to determine parental (male or female) obesity (BMI ≥30).

Note: When using the parental BMI to meet the risk, record it in the client record.

115.01 IBE, IBP, High Weight-for-Length  
IFF, C1

- At or above 97.7<sup>th</sup> percentile weight-for-length, \*1

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121.01 IBE, IBP, Short Stature  
IFF, C1

- Birth to less than 24 months: At or below 2.3<sup>rd</sup> percentile length-for-age. \*1

C2-C4

- At or below the 5<sup>th</sup> percentile length or stature-for-age. \*2

121.02 IBE, IBP At Risk for Short Stature  
IFF, C1

- Birth to less than 24 months: At or above 2.3<sup>rd</sup> percentile and at or below 5<sup>th</sup> Percentile length-for-age. \*1

Note: For premature infants and children (with a history of prematurity) up to 2 years of age, assignment of this risk criterion will be based on adjusted gestational age. For information about adjusting for gestational age.

C2 – C4

- At or above 5<sup>th</sup> percentile and at or below 10<sup>th</sup> percentile length or stature-for-age. \*2

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- 131.01+   PG Low Maternal Weight Gain, *any of the following:*
- Weight gain is below shaded area for any woman on MI-WIC Prenatal Weight Gain Grid
  - Singleton pregnancy, second and third trimesters:
    - Category A (underweight) pregnant woman gaining less than 4 pounds per month
    - Category B (normal weight) pregnant woman gaining less than 3.2 pounds per month
    - Category C (overweight) pregnant woman gaining less than 2 pounds per month
    - Category D (obese) pregnant woman gaining less than 1.6 pounds per month.

Note: Use the Pregnant Woman’s Health and Diet Questions & MI-WIC Weight Gain Grid.

Weight gain and risk assessment should include evaluation of weight gain pattern with 2 or more repeated measures whenever possible. See Risk Code 335, Multi-fetal for Information on more than one fetus.

- 132.01+   PG   Maternal Weight Loss During Pregnancy, *any of the following:*
- First trimester (0-13 weeks gestation): any weight loss below pregravid weight
  - Second or third trimester (14-40 weeks gestation): weight loss of 2 or more pounds

Note: Use the Pregnant Woman’s Health and Diet Questions & MI-WIC Weight Gain Grid.

- 133.01 PG   High Maternal Weight Gain, *any of the following:*  
 BE, BP,   Pregnant woman (singleton pregnancy): all trimesters, all weight groups  
 NPP   • Weight gain of 7 or more pounds per month

Breastfeeding or non-lactating woman (most recent pregnancy only)

- Gestational weight gain exceeding upper limit of the Institute of Medicine’s recommended range based on Body Mass Index (BMI) as follows:

Prepregnancy		
Weight Groups	Definition	Cut-off Value
Category A (underweight)	BMI <18.5	more than 40 pounds
Category B (normal weight)	BMI 18.5 to 24.9	more than 35 pounds
Category C (overweight)	BMI 25.0 to 29.9	more than 25 pounds
Category D (obese)	BMI <u>≥</u> 30.0	more than 20 pounds

Note: Use the Pregnant Woman’s Health and Diet Questions & MI-WIC Weight Gain Grid.

Weight gain and risk assessment should include evaluation of weight gain pattern with 2 or more repeated measures whenever possible. See Risk Code 335, Multi-fetal for Information on more than one fetus. Use the BMI Table for Determining Weight Classification for Non-Pregnant women found at Risk Code 102.

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134.01+IBE, IBP, IFF, C1-C4		<u>Failure-to-Thrive</u>
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- Diagnosed failure-to-thrive

135.01+IBE, IBP, IFF		<u>Slowed/Faltering Growth Pattern</u>
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Infants from birth to 2 weeks of age,

- Excessive weight loss after birth, defined as  $\geq 7\%$  birth weight.

Infants from 2 weeks to 6 months of age:

- Any weight loss. Use two separate weight measurements taken at least eight weeks apart.



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141.01+IBE, IBP, IFF, C1		<p><u>Low Birth Weight and Currently Under 24 Months of Age</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Birth weight at or less than 2500 gm. (at or less than 5 lb. 8 oz.)</li> </ul> <p><u>Very Low Birth Weight (VLBW) for Infants and Children Under 24 Months of Age</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Birth weight defined as at or less than 1500 gm. (at or less than 3 lb. 5 oz.)</li> </ul>
142.01+IBE, IBP, IFF, C1		<p><u>Preterm Delivery</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Infant or child born less than 37 weeks gestation (infants and children less than 24 months old.)</li> </ul>
142.02 IBE, IBP, IFF, C1		<p><u>Early Term Delivery</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Infant or child born greater than or equal to 37 weeks gestation but less than 39 weeks gestation (infants and children less than 24 months old.)</li> </ul>
151.01+IBE, IBP, IFF, C1		<p><u>Small-for-Gestational Age (SGA) and Currently Under 24 Months of Age:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diagnosed presence of small-for-gestational age</li> </ul>
152.01 IBE, IBP, IFF, C1		<p><u>Low Head Circumference</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Birth to less than 24 months: At or below the 2.3rd percentile head circumference-for-age. *1</li> </ul>
153.01+IBE, IBP, IFF		<p><u>Large for Gestational Age, any of the following:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Birth weight at or above 9 pounds</li> <li>• Diagnosed presence of large for gestational age</li> </ul>

### 200 Risk Series - Biochemical Risk

**Risk Category Criteria**

201.01PG, BE, BP NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4 Low Hematocrit (hct.)/ Low Hemoglobin (hgb.) Cutoff Value: *At the time the blood test was taken, any value less than (<) the blood values listed in the following chart.*

Note: For any woman who smokes the blood value criterion must be based on the number of cigarettes smoked and the trimester of pregnancy (if appropriate).

- One pack of cigarettes equals 20 cigarettes.

Status	Non-smoking		Any smoking up to 19 cigarettes/day		Smoking 20 to 39 cigarettes/day		Smoking 40 or more cigarettes/day	
	Hct.%	Hgb. gm.	Hct. %	Hgb. gm.	Hct. %	Hgb. gm.	Hct. %	Hgb. gm.
BN Postpartum- at/over age 15	<36.0	<12.0	<37.0	<12.3	<38.0	<12.5	<38.0	<12.7
BN Postpartum- under age 15	<36.0	<11.8	<37.0	<12.1	<38.0	<12.3	<38.0	<12.5
P First trimester (0 thru 13 weeks)	<33.0	<11.0	<34.0	<11.3	<35.0	<11.5	<35.0	<11.7
P Second trimester (14 thru 26 weeks)	<32.0	<10.5	<33.0	<10.8	<34.0	<11.0	<34.0	<11.2
P Third trimester (27 weeks or more)	<33.0	<11.0	<34.0	<11.3	<35.0	<11.5	<35.0	<11.7
I 6 thru 11 months	<33.0	<11.0						
C 12 thru 23 months	<33.0	<11.0						
C 24 thru 59 months	<33.0	<11.1						

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211.01+PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF C1 – C4 Elevated Blood Lead Levels:

- Venous blood lead level at or above 5 micrograms per deciliter within the past 12 months.

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301.01+	PG	<p><u>Hyperemesis Gravidarum</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diagnosed severe nausea and vomiting to the extent that a pregnant woman becomes dehydrated and acidotic</li> </ul>
302.01+	PG	<p><u>Gestational Diabetes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diagnosed presence of either insulin dependent or diet-controlled glucose or carbohydrate intolerance (gestational diabetes). Condition first occurs or is recognized during pregnancy, is usually temporary and may be controlled with diet or medication (insulin).</li> <li>Self-reported diagnosis should lead to more in-depth questions to validate or involve referral to a medical professional.</li> </ul>
303.01	PG, BE, BP, NPP	<p><u>History of Diagnosed Gestational Diabetes, any of the following:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pregnant woman: any history of gestational diabetes in previous pregnancy</li> <li>Breastfeeding woman: most recent pregnancy</li> <li>Non-lactating woman: most recent pregnancy</li> </ul>
304.01	PG, BE, BP, NPP	<p><u>History of Preeclampsia</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>History of diagnosed preeclampsia.                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Preeclampsia is defined as hypertension with onset during pregnancy, usually after 20 weeks gestation, and typically with proteinuria (high levels of protein found in urine). For some women, proteinuria does not occur and it is diagnosed in other ways.</li> <li>Postpartum preeclampsia can also occur, regardless of whether it was present during pregnancy. It is usually diagnosed within 48 hours of delivery but can occur up to 6 weeks postpartum.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
310.01+	PG	<p><u>History of Preterm Delivery</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any history of birth of an infant less than 37 weeks gestation</li> </ul>

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310.02	PG	<p><u>History of Early Term Delivery</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any history of birth of an infant greater than or equal to 37 weeks gestation but less than 39 weeks gestation</li> </ul>
311.01	BE, BP, NPP	<p><u>History of Preterm Delivery</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Birth of an infant less than 37 weeks gestation – most recent pregnancy</li> </ul>
311.02	BE, BP, NPP	<p><u>History of Early Term Delivery</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Birth of an infant greater than or equal to 37 weeks gestation but less than 39 weeks gestation– most recent pregnancy</li> </ul>
312.01+	PG	<p><u>History of Low birth weight</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any history of low birth weight infant at or less than 5 lbs 8oz (at or less than 2500 grams)</li> </ul>
313.01	BE, BP, NPP	<p><u>History of Low Birth Weight</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Low birth weight infant at or less than 5 lbs 8oz (at or less than 2500 grams) - most recent pregnancy</li> </ul>
321.01	PG, BE, BP, NPP	<p><u>History of Spontaneous Abortion, Fetal or Neonatal Loss, <i>any of the following:</i></u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diagnosed <u>spontaneous abortion (miscarriage)</u> is the spontaneous termination of a gestation at less than 20 weeks gestation or less than 500 grams. Diagnosed <u>fetal death</u> is the spontaneous termination of a gestation at greater than or equal to 20 weeks. Diagnosed <u>neonatal death</u> is a death of an infant within 0 to 28 days of life.</li> <li>Pregnant woman: any history of fetal or neonatal death OR 2 or more spontaneous abortions.</li> <li>Breastfeeding woman: most recent pregnancy in which there was a multifetal gestation with one or more fetal or neonatal deaths but with one or more infants still living.</li> <li>Non-lactating woman: most recent pregnancy.</li> </ul>

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331.01 PG, BE, Pregnancy at a Young Age, any of the following:  
BP, NPP

- Conception at or less than 17 years of age
- Pregnant woman: current pregnancy
- Breastfeeding woman: most recent pregnancy
- Non-lactating woman: most recent pregnancy

332.01 PG, BE, Short Interpregnancy Interval, any of the following:  
BP, NPP

- Conception before 18 months postpartum
- Pregnant woman: current pregnancy
- Breastfeeding woman: most recent pregnancy
- Non-lactating woman: most recent pregnancy

333.01 PG, BE, High Parity and Young Age, any of the following:  
BP, NPP

- Under age 20 at date of conception and has had 3 or more previous pregnancies of at least 20 weeks duration, regardless of birth outcome
- Pregnant woman: current pregnancy
- Breastfeeding woman: most recent pregnancy
- Non-lactating woman: most recent pregnancy

334.01 PG      Lack of or Inadequate Prenatal Care, any of the following:

- Prenatal care beginning after the first trimester (after 13 weeks)

<u>Weeks of gestation</u>	<u>Number of prenatal visits</u>
14-21	0 or unknown
22-29	1 or less
30-31	2 or less
32-33	3 or less
34 or more	4 or less

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335.01	PG, BE, BP, NPP	<p><u>Multifetal Gestation, <i>any of the following</i>:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pregnant woman: more than 1 fetus in current pregnancy</li> <li>• Breastfeeding woman: more than 1 fetus, most recent pregnancy</li> <li>• Non-lactating woman: more than 1 fetus, most recent pregnancy</li> </ul> <p>Note:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Steady weight gain of 1.5 pounds per week, during 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> trimesters is linked with lowest risk.</li> <li>• Provisional risk guidelines for overall weight gain for twin pregnancy are:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Category B (normal weight) 37-54 pounds total</li> <li>○ Category C (overweight) 31-50 pounds total</li> <li>○ Category D (obese) 25-42 pounds total</li> <li>○ Triplets 50 pounds total, regardless of initial weight</li> <li>○ 4 or more – no provisional guidelines are available</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
336.01	+PG	<p><u>Fetal Growth Restriction</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diagnosed fetal growth restriction</li> </ul>
337.01	PG, BE, BP, NPP	<p><u>History of Birth of a Large-for-Gestational Age Infant, <i>any of the following</i>:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• History of birth of an infant weighing at or more than 9 pounds or 4000 grams OR</li> <li>• Diagnosed large-for-gestational age infant</li> <li>• Pregnant woman: any history</li> <li>• Breastfeeding woman: most recent pregnancy or history of birth of an infant weighing at or more than 9 pounds or 4000 grams (infant qualifies with risk code 153 Large for Gestational Age)</li> <li>• Non-lactating woman: most recent pregnancy or history of birth of an infant weighing at or more than 9 pounds or 4000 grams (infant qualifies with risk code 153 Large for Gestational Age)</li> </ul>

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338.01	PG	<p><u>Pregnant Woman Currently Breastfeeding</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pregnant women who is currently breastfeeding.                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Generally, it is considered safe for most women to continue breastfeeding while pregnant and can be sustained for as long as mutually desired by the mother and child.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• The assignment of this risk is not intended to discourage women from continuing breastfeeding during pregnancy, but rather to highlight the need to review the mother’s medical history and diet along with her breastfeeding goals.</li> </ul>
339.01+	PG, BE, BP, NPP	<p><u>History of Birth with Nutrition-Related Congenital or Birth Defect</u> (any history for pregnant woman, most recent pregnancy for breastfeeding and non-lactating woman):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Woman who has given birth to an infant diagnosed with a congenital or birth defect associated with inappropriate nutritional intake, such as inadequate zinc (low birth weight), excessive vitamin A (cleft palate or lip), inadequate folic acid (neural tube defect)</li> <li>• Pregnant woman: any history of birth with nutrition-related congenital or birth defect</li> <li>• Breastfeeding woman: most recent pregnancy</li> <li>• Non-lactating woman: most recent pregnancy</li> </ul>
341.01+	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4	<p><u>Nutrient Deficiency Diseases, any of the following:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diagnosed nutritional deficiencies or a disease caused by insufficient dietary intake of macro and micro nutrients</li> <li>• Diseases include, but not limited to, protein energy malnutrition, scurvy, rickets, beri beri, hypocalcemia, osteomalacia, vitamin K deficiency, pellagra, cheilosis, Menkes disease, xerophthalmia</li> </ul>

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342+	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4	<p><u>Gastro-Intestinal Disorders, any of the following:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 342.00+ Diagnosed disease(s) or condition(s) that interferes with intake, digestion or absorption of nutrients or that may increase nutrient losses.</li> </ul> <p>Conditions include, but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 342.01+ Gallbladder disease</li> <li>• 342.02+ Liver disease</li> <li>• 342.03+ Crohn’s disease</li> <li>• 342.04+ Inflammatory bowel disease</li> <li>• 342.05+ Stomach (peptic) or intestinal ulcers, GI fistula</li> <li>• 342.06+ Small bowel syndrome and/or enterolitis</li> <li>• 342.07+ Pancreatitis</li> <li>• 342.08+ Ulcerative colitis</li> <li>• 342.09+ Gastroesophageal reflux (GER)/Esophagitis</li> <li>• 342.10+ Post-bariatric surgery</li> <li>• Self-reporting of a diagnosis by a medical professional should not be confused with self-diagnosis, where a person simply claims to have or to have had a medical condition without any reference to professional diagnosis. A self-reported medical diagnosis (“My doctor says that I have/my son or daughter has...”) should prompt the CPA to validate the presence of the condition by asking more pointed questions related to that diagnosis.</li> </ul>
343.01+	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4	<p><u>Diabetes Mellitus</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diagnosed presence of diabetes mellitus</li> </ul>
344+	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4	<p><u>Thyroid Disorders</u></p> <p>344.01+ hyperthyroidism (high thyroid), including congenital conditions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diagnosed postpartum thyroiditis in 1<sup>st</sup> year following delivery</li> </ul> <p>344.02+ Diagnosed hyperthyroidism (high thyroid)</p>



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345+	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4	<p><u>Hypertension and Prehypertension</u></p> <p>345.01+ <u>Pregnancy-induced</u> (i.e. preeclampsia, eclampsia, and gestational hypertension.)</p> <p>345.02+ <u>Hypertension, Chronic &amp; Prehypertension (includes chronic hypertension during pregnancy)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presence of hypertension or prehypertension diagnosed, documented, or reported by a physician or someone working under a physician’s orders, or as self-reported by applicant/participant/caregiver.</li> <li>• Hypertension is defined as high blood pressure which may eventually cause health problems and includes chronic hypertension during pregnancy, preeclampsia, eclampsia, chronic hypertension with superimposed preeclampsia, and gestational hypertension.</li> <li>• Prehypertension is defined as being at high risk for developing hypertension, based on blood pressure levels.</li> <li>• Blood pressure levels in adults are typically classified as follows, with the first number representing systolic blood pressure and the second number diastolic blood pressure.               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Normal blood pressure: &lt;120/&lt;80 mmHg (millimeters of mercury)</li> <li>○ Prehypertension: consistent readings of 120-139/80-89 mmHg</li> <li>○ Hypertension: consistent readings of ≥140/≥90 mmHg</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
346.01+	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4	<p><u>Renal Disease</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diagnosed presence of renal disease including pyelonephritis and persistent proteinuria</li> <li>• EXCLUDES urinary tract infections involving the bladder</li> </ul>
347.01+	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4	<p><u>Cancer</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diagnosed presence of cancer. The current condition, or treatment for the condition, must be severe enough to affect nutritional status.</li> </ul>

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NPP	= Non-lactating woman	CPA	= Competent Professional Authority
IBE, IBP, EFF	= Infant	*1	= Birth to 24 months gender-specific growth charts (WHO)
C1 – C4	= Child	*2	= 2000 age/gender-specific growth charts (CDC)

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348+	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4	<p><u>Central Nervous System Disorders</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diagnosed condition which affects energy requirements and may affect the individual’s ability to feed self that alters nutritional status metabolically, mechanically, or both</li> </ul> <p>Includes, but not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>348.01+ Epilepsy</li> <li>348.02+ Multiple sclerosis (MS)</li> <li>348.03+ Neural tube defects (NTD), such as:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Spina bifida</li> <li>Myelomeningocele</li> </ul> </li> <li>348.04+ Parkinson’s disease</li> <li>348.05+ Cerebral palsy</li> </ul>
349+	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF,	<p><u>Genetic and Congenital Disorders, <i>any of the following:</i></u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diagnosed presence of genetic and congenital disorders that cause physical or metabolic abnormality</li> <li>Current condition must alter nutrition status metabolically, mechanically or both</li> <li>Includes, but not limited to:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>349.01+ Muscular dystrophy (MD)</li> <li>349.02+ Cleft lip or palate</li> <li>349.03+ GI abnormalities</li> <li>349.04+ Thalassemia major</li> <li>349.06+ Sickle cell anemia (<u>not</u> sickle cell trait)</li> <li>349.07+ Down syndrome</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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351.01	+PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4	<p><u>Inborn Errors of Metabolism (IEM)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Medical Diagnosis of IEM</li> <li>• Gene mutations or gene deletions that alter metabolism of proteins, carbohydrates or fats in the body. IEMs are rare. (WIC responsibilities and services include identification of diagnosed IEMs as part of the WIC assessment, referral and collaboration with nutrition care plans developed by metabolic treatment facilities and provisions of WIC-eligible medical foods. See Policy 5.02 Required Services for Nutritional High Risk Clients, Policy 7.03 Food Package for Qualifying Conditions.)</li> <li>• IEMs include, but are not limited to:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Fructoaldolase deficiency</li> <li>○ Galactokinase deficiency</li> <li>○ Galactosemia</li> <li>○ Glutaric aciduria</li> <li>○ Glycogen storage disease</li> <li>○ Histidinemia</li> <li>○ Homocystinuria</li> <li>○ Hyperlipoproteinemia</li> <li>○ Hypermethioninemia</li> <li>○ Maple syrup urine disease</li> <li>○ Medium-chain acyl-CoA dehydrogenase (MCAD)</li> <li>○ Methylmalonic acidemia</li> <li>○ Phenylketonuria (PKU)</li> <li>○ Propionic acidemia</li> <li>○ Tyrosinemia</li> <li>○ Urea cycle disorders</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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**Additional information may be found at <http://rarediseases.onfo.nih.gov/GARD>**

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352a+	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF  C1 – C4	<p><u>Infectious Diseases - Acute</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Disease which is characterized by a single or repeated episode of relatively rapid onset and short duration.</li> <li>• Diagnosed infectious disease that must be present now or within the past 6 months</li> <li>• Disease caused by growth of pathogenic micro-organisms in the body severe enough to affect nutritional status</li> <li>• Includes, but not limited to:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 352.01+ Meningitis</li> <li>• 352.02+ Parasitic infections</li> <li>• 352.09+ Hepatitis A, Hepatitis E</li> <li>• 352.06+ Bronchitis (3 episodes in last 6 months)</li> <li>• 352.08+ Pneumonia</li> <li>• 352.11+ Listeriosis</li> </ul> </li> <li>• EXCLUDES frequent colds, ear infections</li> </ul>
352b+	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF C1 – C4	<p><u>Infectious Diseases - Chronic</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presence of diagnosed infectious disease.</li> <li>• Conditions likely lasting a lifetime and require long-term management of symptoms</li> <li>• Disease caused by growth of pathogenic micro-organisms in the body severe enough to affect nutritional status</li> <li>• Includes, but not limited to:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 352.04+ HIV (Human Immunodeficiency Virus infection)</li> <li>• 352.05+ AIDS (Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome)</li> <li>• 352.07+ Tuberculosis</li> <li>• 352.10+ Hepatitis B, Hepatitis C, Hepatitis D</li> </ul> </li> <li>• EXCLUDES frequent colds, ear infections</li> </ul>

353.01+ PG, BE, BP, Food Allergies

NPP, IBE,  
IBP, IFF,  
C1 – C4

- Diagnosed adverse immune response to a food or a hypersensitivity that causes adverse immunologic reaction

NOTE: This applies when the diagnosed food intolerances or allergies require major dietary modification to provide optimal nutrition.

354.01+PG, BE, BP, Celiac Disease  
NPP, IBE,  
IBP, IFF,  
C1 – C4

- Diagnosed celiac disease
- Inflammatory condition of the small intestine caused by ingestion of wheat
- Also known as celiac sprue, gluten enteropathy, non-tropical sprue.

355.01 PG, BE, BP, Lactose Intolerance, any of the following:  
NPP, IBE,  
IBP, IFF,  
C1 – C4

- Diagnosed lactose intolerance
- CPA documentation of symptoms should indicate that ingestion of lactose-containing dairy products or milk-based formula causes gastrointestinal disturbances such as: abdominal bloating, cramps, flatulence, diarrhea; the avoidance of such dairy products eliminates them.

356.01+ PG, BE, BP, Hypoglycemia  
NPP, IBE,  
IBP, IFF,  
C1 – C4

- Diagnosed hypoglycemia

357.01+PG, BE, BP, Drug and Nutrient Interactions  
NPP, IBE,  
IBP, IFF,  
C1 – C4

- Use of prescription or over-the-counter drugs or medications that have been shown to interfere with nutrient intake, absorption, distribution, metabolism, or excretion, to an extent that nutritional status is compromised.
- Nutrition-related side effects of drugs may include, but are not limited to:
  - Changes to appetite
  - Changes to taste and smell
  - A dry or sore mouth
  - Epigastric distress, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and/or constipation

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358+	PG, BE, BP, NPP	<p><u>Eating Disorders</u></p> <p>358.01+ Bulimia 358.02+ Anorexia</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diagnosed eating disorders or evidence of such disorders documented by CPA</li> <li>• Eating disorders (anorexia nervosa and bulimia) are characterized by a disturbed sense of body image and morbid fear of becoming fat</li> <li>• Symptoms are manifested by abnormal eating patterns and including, but not limited to:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Self-induced vomiting</li> <li>• Purgative abuse</li> <li>• Alternating periods of starvation</li> <li>• Use of drugs such as appetite suppressants, thyroid preparations or diuretics</li> <li>• Self-induced marked weight loss</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
359.01+	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4	<p><u>Recent Major Surgery, Trauma, Burns</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Major surgery (including C-sections), trauma or burns severe enough to compromise nutritional status</li> <li>• Any occurrences:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Within the past two (2) months may be self reported</li> <li>• More than two (2) months previous must have the continued need for nutritional support diagnosed by a physician or a health care provider working under the orders of a physician</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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360+	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4	<p><u>Other Medical Conditions</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diagnosed diseases or conditions with nutritional implications that are not included in any of the other medical conditions</li> <li>• Current condition or treatment for the condition must be severe enough to affect nutritional status</li> <li>• Includes, but not limited to:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 360.01+ Asthma*, persistent (moderate or severe) requiring daily medication</li> <li>• 360.02+ Cystic fibrosis</li> <li>• 360.03+ Heart disease</li> <li>• 360.04+ Cardiorespiratory diseases</li> <li>• 360.05+ Lupus erythematosus</li> <li>• 360.06+ Juvenile rheumatoid arthritis (JRA)</li> <li>• 360.07+ Other medical conditions</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>*NOTE: This criterion usually is not applicable to infants for the medical condition of asthma. In infants, asthma-like symptoms are usually diagnosed as bronchiolitis with wheezing which is covered under risk code #352, Infectious Disease.</p>
361.01+	PG, BE, BP, NPP	<p><u>Depression</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presence of clinical depression diagnosed by physician, psychologist, certified social worker or advanced practice registered nurse, or as reported or documented by a physician or someone working under physician’s orders.</li> </ul>

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- 362.01+PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4    Developmental Delays, Sensory or Motor Delays Interfering with Ability to Eat
- Developmental, sensory or motor disabilities that restrict the ability to chew or swallow food or require tube feeding to meet nutritional needs
  - Includes, but not limited to:
    - Birth injury
    - Brain damage
    - Feeding problems due to a developmental disability such as pervasive development disorder (PDD) which includes autism
    - Head trauma
    - Minimal brain function
    - Other disabilities
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- 363.01+ BE, BP, NPP    Pre-Diabetes
- Diagnosed Impaired Fasting Glucose (IFG) [Fasting plasma glucose of 100-125 mg/dl.] OR Impaired Glucose Tolerance (IGT) [Plasma glucose of levels of 140-199 mg/dl after a 2-hour glucose tolerance test].
  - Client self-reported diagnosis should be validated by referral to a medical professional.
  - Client at high risk for cardiovascular disease and Type 2 diabetes.
  - Risk reduced by WIC foods high in fiber and low in fat like whole grains, fruits and vegetables and low fat dairy products.
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- 371.01 PB, BE, BP, NPP    Maternal Smoking
- Any daily smoking of tobacco products such as cigarettes, pipes or cigars



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372.01	PG, BE BP, NPP	<p><u>Alcohol or Illegal Drug Use</u></p> <p>Pregnant woman:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Any alcohol use</li> <li>• Any illegal drug use</li> </ul> <p>Breastfeeding and non-lactating woman:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Routine current intake of 2 or more drinks per day                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Serving or standard sized drink is:                                     <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 12 fluid ounces of beer or wine cooler</li> <li>• 5 ounces of wine</li> <li>• 1 2 fluid ounces of hard liquor, vermouth, cordials or liqueurs</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> <li>• Binge drinking:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consumes 5 or more drinks on the same occasion on at least one day in the past 30 days</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Heavy drinking:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consumes 5 or more drinks on the same occasion on five or more days in previous 30 days</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Any illegal drug use</li> </ul>
381.01	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4	<p><u>Dental Problems</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diagnosed dental problem or adequate documentation by CPA</li> <li>• Includes, but not limited to:</li> </ul>
	IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4 only	<p>X Presence of nursing or baby bottle tooth decay</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Smooth surface decay of maxillary anterior teeth and primary molars</li> </ul>
	PG, BE, BP, NPP, C1-C4	<p>X Tooth decay</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Periodontal disease</li> <li>• Tooth loss and/or ineffectively replaced teeth which impair ability to ingest food in adequate quantity or quality</li> </ul>
	PG only	<p>X Gingivitis of pregnancy</p>

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382.01+	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP IFF, C1-C4	<p><u>Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presence of condition diagnosed, documented, or reported by a physician or someone working under a physician’s orders, or as self-reported by applicant/participant/caregiver.</li> <li>• Fetal alcohol spectrum disorders (FASDs) are a group of conditions that can occur in a person whose mother consumed alcohol during pregnancy. FASDs is an overarching phrase that encompasses a range of possible diagnoses, including:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Fetal Alcohol Syndrome (FAS)</li> <li>○ Partial Fetal Alcohol Syndrome (pFAS)</li> <li>○ Alcohol-Related Birth Defects (ARBD)</li> <li>○ Alcohol-Related Neurodevelopmental Disorder (ARND)</li> <li>○ Neurobehavioral Disorder associated with Prenatal Alcohol Exposure (ND-PAE)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
383.01+	IBE, IBP, IFF	<p><u>Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diagnosed neonatal abstinence syndrome</li> </ul>

**400 Risk Series - Dietary Risk**

Risk      Category      Criteria

The 400 Risk Series reflects the Institute of Medicine (IOM) guidance that all U.S. women and children are at risk of failing to meet the US Dietary Guidelines. 24 hour recall or food frequency are not to be used to determine client eligibility. Assign appropriate 400 Risk Series numbers based on determination found from the age appropriate *Health and Diet Questions*.

401.01 PG, BE, BP, NPP, C2-C4      (New, 10/07) **Criterion #401, Failure to Meet *Dietary Guidelines for Americans***: The definition was revised to reflect the Institute of Medicine (IOM) recommendation for a presumed dietary risk for women and children 2 years of age and older.

- Note: This criterion applies only to women and children older than 2 years of age due to the fact that the *Dietary Guidelines* do not include recommendations for infants and young children birth to 2 years.
- This criterion may only be assigned after a complete assessment has been performed to assess for risk (including #425.1 – 425.9, Inappropriate Nutrition Practices for Children) and no other risk is identified.

411.01 IBE, IBP, IFF      Inappropriate Infant Feeding Practices, routine use of any of the following:  
 Infant not fed human milk or iron-fortified formula

- During first 12 months of life, routinely using a substitute for human milk or for FDA approved iron-fortified formula as primary nutrient source.
- Examples:
  - Low iron formula w/o iron supplement before 6 months;
  - Feeding cow’s milk, goat’s milk, sheep’s milk, imitation milks, substitute milks or homemade concoctions in place of human milk or FDA-approved infant formula during the first year of life.

No Dependable Source of Iron for Infants Older than 6 Months of Age

- No routine age-appropriate iron source after 6 months of age, such as:
- Iron-fortified cereals
- Iron-fortified infant formula (at least 10 mg of iron per liter of formula prepared at standard dilution)
- Infant meats
- Oral iron supplements

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- 411.02 IBE, IBP, IFF      Routinely Using Nursing Bottles or Cups Improperly
- Using a bottle to feed fruit juice.
  - Feeding any sugar-containing fluids, such as soda/soft drinks, gelatin water, corn syrup solutions, and sweetened tea.
  - Allowing the infant to fall asleep or be put to bed with a bottle at naps or bedtime.
  - Allowing the infant to use the bottle without restriction (e.g., walking around with a bottle) or as a pacifier.
  - Propping the bottle when feeding.
  - Allowing an infant to carry around and drink throughout the day from a covered or training cup.
  - Adding any food (cereal or other solid foods) to the infant’s bottle.
- 411.03 IBE, IBP, IFF      Inappropriate Complementary Foods (infants)  
 Routinely offering complementary foods or other substances that are inappropriate foods/feeding schedule (Inappropriate type or timing of food substances).  
*Complementary foods are any foods or beverages other than human milk or infant formula.*
- Adding sweet agents such as sugar, honey, or syrups to any beverage (including water) or prepared food, or used on a pacifier;
  - Introducing any food other than human milk or iron-fortified infant formula before 6 months of age.

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| 411.04 | IBE, IBP,<br>IFF | <p><u>Routinely Using Inappropriate Feeding Practices and Early Introduction of Solid Food</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Inability to recognize, insensitivity to, or disregarding the infant’s cues for hunger and satiety (e.g., forcing an infant to eat a certain type and/or amount of food or beverage or ignoring an infant’s hunger cues).</li> <li>• Not supporting an infant’s need for growing independence with self-feeding (e.g., solely spoon-feeding an infant who is able and ready to finger-feed and/or try self-feeding with appropriate utensils).</li> <li>• Feeding an infant food with inappropriate textures based on his/her developmental stage (e.g., feeding primarily pureed or liquid foods when the infant is ready and capable of eating mashed, chopped or appropriate finger foods).</li> <li>• Routinely using feeding practices that disregard developmental needs of infant such as no solids before 7 months, no spoon, no finger feeding by 7-9 months,</li> <li>• Feeding foods of inappropriate consistency, size, or shape that put the infant at risk of choking.</li> </ul> |
| 411.05 | IBE, IBP,<br>IFF | <p><u>Feeding Potentially Unsafe Foods (infants)</u></p> <p>Feeding foods to an infant that could be contaminated with harmful microorganisms</p> <p>Examples of potentially harmful foods for an infant are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Unpasteurized fruit or vegetable juice;</li> <li>• Unpasteurized dairy products or soft cheeses such as feta, Brie, Camembert, blue-veined, and Mexican-style cheese;</li> <li>• Honey (added to liquids or solid foods, used in cooking, as part of processed foods, on a pacifier, etc.);</li> <li>• Raw or undercooked meat, fish, poultry, or eggs;</li> <li>• Raw vegetable sprouts (alfalfa, clover, bean, and radish);</li> <li>• Donor human milk (acquired from individuals or the Internet) and</li> <li>• Deli meats, hot dogs, and processed meats (avoid unless heated until steaming hot).</li> </ul>  |

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<u>Risk</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Criteria</u>
411.06	IBE, IBP, IFF	<p><u>Improper Dilution of Formula, <i>any of the following:</i></u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Routine over dilution of formula (failure to follow manufacturers dilution instructions or specific instructions accompanying a prescription)</li> <li>• Routine under dilution of formula (failure to follow manufacturers dilution instructions or specific instructions accompanying a prescription)</li> </ul>
411.07	IBE	<p><u>Limiting Frequency of Breastfeeding when Human Milk is Sole Source of Nutrients</u></p> <p>Examples of inappropriate frequency of breastfeeding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scheduled feedings instead of demand feedings; and</li> <li>• Less than 8 feedings in 24 hours if less than 2 months of age.</li> </ul>
411.08+	IBE, IBP, IFF	<p><u>Highly Restrictive Diets – Feeding Diet Very Low in Calories or Essential Nutrients, <i>any of the following:</i></u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Severely limited intake of important food sources of nutrients (example: fruit and nut diet)</li> <li>• High risk eating pattern</li> <li>• Inappropriate, infrequent or highly restrictive feeding schedules (such as infrequent breastfeeding, infant held to rigid feeding schedule, withholding food, overfeeding) or forcing an infant to eat a certain type and/or amount of food.</li> </ul> <p><u>Vegan Diets, <i>ALL of the following:</i></u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consuming only foods of plant origin</li> <li>• No animal products (no meat, poultry, fish, eggs, milk, cheese or other dairy products)</li> <li>• Avoidance of foods made with animal product ingredients</li> </ul>

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**Risk    Category    Criteria**

- 411.09    IBE, IBP    Routinely Using Inappropriate Sanitation in Preparation, Handling and Storage of Expressed Human Milk or Formula.  
             IFF
- Limited or no access to safe water supply with no stove for sterilizing or refrigerator/freezer for storage
  - Failure to handle or store expressed human milk properly including:
    - Thawing/heating in a microwave
    - Refreezing
    - Adding freshly expressed unrefrigerated human milk to frozen human milk
    - Adding freshly pumped chilled human milk to frozen human milk in an amount that is greater than the amount of frozen human milk
    - Feeding thawed human milk more than 24 hours after it was thawed
    - Saving human milk from a used bottle for another feeding
    - Failure to clean breast pump per manufacturer’s instruction
    - Donor human milk (acquired from individuals or the Internet)
  - Improper preparation, handing and/or storage of formula including:
    - Storing at room temperature for more than 1 hour
    - Failure to store prepared formula per manufacturer’s instructions
    - Using formula in a bottle one hour after the start of a feeding
    - Saving formula from a used bottle for another feeding
    - Failure to clean baby bottle properly
- 411.10    IBE, IBP    Inappropriate or Excessive Intake of Dietary Supplements  
             IFF
- Routinely taking inappropriate or excessive amounts of any dietary supplements not prescribed by a physician with potentially harmful consequences, including but not limited to ingestion of unprescribed or excessive or toxic:
    - Herbal remedies
    - Mineral or botanical supplements/remedies/teas
    - Multi or single vitamins
- 411.11    IBE, IBP    Vitamin/Mineral Supplementation  
             IFF
- Client not routinely taking a dietary supplement recognized as essential by national public health policy makers because diet alone cannot meet nutrient requirements
  - Examples include but are not limited to:
    - Infants and children age 6 months through 35 months not taking 0.25 mg. of fluoride daily when the water supply contains less than 0.3 ppm fluoride.
    - Breastfed and non-breastfed infants who are ingesting less than 1 quart (32 ounces) per day of Vitamin D-fortified formula and are not taking a supplement of 400 IU of Vitamin D.

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### 400 Risk Series - Dietary Risk

<u>Risk</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Criteria</u>
425.01	C1-C4	<p><u>Routine Ingestion of Inappropriate Beverages as Milk Source</u></p> <p>Examples</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Non-fat or reduced fat milk between 12 and #24 months, unless child for whom overweight or obesity is a concern, health care provider recommends 2% milk, or family history is positive for obesity, dyslipidemia, or cardiovascular disease.</li> <li>• Sweetened condensed milk,</li> <li>• Unfortified or inadequately fortified goat’s milk, sheep’s milk, imitation or substitute milks such as rice, soy beverages, almond, non-dairy creamers or other “homemade concoctions.”</li> </ul>
425.02	C1-C4	<p><u>Routine Ingestion of Sugar Containing Fluids</u></p> <p>Examples</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Soda/pop</li> <li>• Soft drinks</li> <li>• Gelatin water</li> <li>• Corn syrup solutions</li> <li>• Sweetened tea</li> </ul>
425.03	C1-C4	<p><u>Routinely Using Nursing Bottles, Cups, or Pacifiers Improperly</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Using a bottle to feed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Fruit juice, or</li> <li>○ Diluted cereal or other solid foods.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Allowing the child to fall asleep or be put to bed with a bottle at naps or bedtime.</li> <li>• Allowing the child to use the bottle without restriction (e.g., walking around with a bottle) or as a pacifier.</li> <li>• Using a bottle for feeding or drinking beyond 14 of age.</li> <li>• Using a pacifier dipped in sweet agents such as sugar, honey, or syrups.</li> <li>• Allowing a child to carry around and drink throughout the day from a covered or training cup.</li> </ul>



## 400 Risk Series - Dietary Risk

**Risk    Category    Criteria**

425.04 C1-C4    Inappropriate Feeding Practices for Children that Disregard Developmental Needs, *any of the following:*

- Routinely using feeding practices that disregard developmental needs of child such as:
  - Not supporting growing independence with spoon,
  - No finger feeding,
  - Forcing food,
  - Not feeding when hungry,
  - Not supporting self-feeding,
  - Not feeding texture appropriate foods,
  - Putting at risk of choking
- Not supporting a child’s need for growing independence with self-feeding (e.g., spoon-feeding a child who is able and ready to finger-feed and/or try self-feeding with appropriate utensils.
- Feeding inappropriate consistency size or shape to < 4 year old,
- Feeding or offering a child primarily pureed or liquid food when the child is ready and capable of eating foods of an appropriate texture (mashed, chopped or appropriate finger foods.)

425.05 C1-C4    Feeding Potentially Unsafe Foods (children)

Examples of potentially harmful foods for a child:

- Unpasteurized fruit or vegetable juice;
- Unpasteurized dairy products or soft cheeses such as feta, Brie, Camembert, blue-veined, and Mexican-style cheese;
- Raw or undercooked meat, fish, poultry, or eggs;
- Raw vegetable sprouts (alfalfa, clover, bean, and radish); and
- Deli meats, hot dogs, and processed meats (avoid unless heated until steaming hot).

425.06+ C1-C4    Highly Restrictive Diets, *any of the following:*

- Severely limited intake of calories and important food sources of essential nutrients (example: fruit and nut diet)
- High risk eating pattern

Vegan Diets, *ALL of the following:*

- Consuming only foods of plant origin
- No animal products (no meat, poultry, fish, eggs, milk, cheese or other dairy products)
- Avoidance of foods made with animal product ingredients

## 400 Risk Series - Dietary Risk

**Risk    Category    Criteria**

- 425.07 C1-C4    Inappropriate or Excessive Intake of Dietary Supplements
- Routinely taking inappropriate or excessive amounts of any dietary supplements not prescribed by a physician with potentially harmful consequences, including but not limited to ingestion of unprescribed or excessive or toxic:
    - Herbal remedies or botanical supplements/ remedies/ teas
    - Mineral supplements
    - Multi or single vitamins
- 425.08 C1-C4    Vitamin/Mineral Supplementation
- Client not routinely taking a dietary supplement recognized as essential by national public health policy makers because diet alone cannot meet nutrient requirements
  - Examples include but are not limited to:
  - When water supply contains less than 0.3 ppm fluoride and:
    - Children age 6 months through 35 months not taking 0.25 mg of fluoride daily
    - Children age 36 to 60 months not taking 0.5 mg of fluoride daily.
    - Children who are taking less than 1 quart per day of Vitamin D-fortified milk and are not taking 400 IU supplement of Vitamin D. Note: for children 2 years and older the recommendation is 2 cups (16 oz.) low-fat milk per day.
- 425.09 C1-C4    Routine Ingestion of Non-Food Items - Pica:
- Current craving for or consumption of non-food substances such as:
    - Ashes
    - Baking soda
    - Carpet fibers
    - Cigarettes or cigarette butts
    - Chalk
    - Clay or dirt
    - Dust
    - Coffee grounds
    - Foam Rubber
    - Ice (excessive intake which replaces an adequate diet)
    - Paint chips
    - Soil
    - Starch (laundry, cornstarch)
    - Wood

**400 Risk Series - Dietary Risk**

Risk	Category	Criteria
427.01	PG, BE, BP, NPP	<p><u>Inappropriate or Excessive Intake of Dietary Supplements</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Routinely taking inappropriate or excessive amounts of any dietary supplements not prescribed by a physician with potentially harmful consequences, including but not limited to ingestion of unprescribed or excessive or toxic:</li> <li>• Herbal remedies or botanical supplements/ remedies/ teas</li> <li>• Mineral supplements</li> <li>• Multi or single vitamins</li> </ul>
427.02+	PG, BE, BP, NPP	<p><u>Highly Restrictive Diets, ANY of the following:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diet very low in calories including impaired absorption following bariatric surgery</li> <li>• Severely limited intake of important food sources of nutrients (example: fruit and nut diet)</li> <li>• High risk eating pattern</li> </ul> <p><u>Vegan Diets, ALL of the following:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consuming only foods of plant origin</li> <li>• No animal products (no meat, poultry, fish, eggs, milk, cheese or other dairy products)</li> <li>• Avoidance of foods made with animal product ingredients</li> </ul>
427.03	PG, BE, BP, NPP	<p><u>Routine Ingestion of Non-Food Items - Pica:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current craving for or consumption of non-food substances such as:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Ashes</li> <li>○ Baking soda</li> <li>○ Carpet fibers</li> <li>○ Cigarettes or cigarette butts</li> <li>○ Chalk</li> <li>○ Clay or dirt</li> <li>○ Dust</li> <li>○ Coffee grounds</li> <li>○ Foam Rubber</li> <li>○ Ice (excessive intake which replaces an adequate diet)</li> <li>○ Paint chips</li> <li>○ Soil</li> <li>○ Starch (laundry, cornstarch)</li> <li>○ Wood</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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**400 Risk Series - Dietary Risk**

Risk	Category	Criteria
427.04	PG, BE, BP, NPP	<p><u>Vitamin/Mineral Supplementation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Client not routinely taking a dietary supplement recognized as essential by national public health policy makers because diet alone cannot meet nutrient requirements</li> <li>• Examples include but are not limited to:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Pregnant women taking less than 27 mg of supplemental iron daily.</li> <li>○ Non-pregnant women consuming less than 400 mcg. of folic acid (synthetic) from fortified foods and/or supplements daily.</li> <li>○ Pregnant and lactating women consuming less than 150 ug. of supplemental iodine per day.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
427.05	PG, BE, BP	<p><u>Consuming Potential Unsafe Foods (pregnant or lactating woman)</u></p> <p>Examples of potentially harmful foods for a pregnant or lactating woman:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Raw fish or shellfish, including oysters, clams, mussels, and scallops;</li> <li>• Refrigerated smoked seafood, unless it is an ingredient in a cooked dish, such as a casserole;</li> <li>• Raw or undercooked meat or poultry;</li> <li>• Hot dogs, luncheon meats (cold cuts), fermented and dry sausage and other deli-style meat or poultry products unless reheated until steaming hot;</li> <li>• Refrigerated pâté or meat spreads;</li> <li>• Unpasteurized milk or foods containing unpasteurized milk;</li> <li>• Soft cheeses such as feta, Brie, Camembert, blue-veined cheeses and Mexican style cheese such as queso blanco, queso fresco, or Panela unless labeled as made with pasteurized milk;</li> <li>• Raw or undercooked eggs or foods containing raw or lightly cooked eggs including certain salad dressings, cookie and cake batters, sauces, and beverages such as unpasteurized eggnog;</li> <li>• Raw sprouts (alfalfa, clover, and radish); or</li> <li>• Unpasteurized fruit or vegetable juices.</li> </ul>

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**400 Risk Series - Dietary Risk**

**Risk    Category    Criteria**

428.01 IBE, IBP, IFF, C1      Inappropriate 4-23 mo. old Feeding (Dietary Risk Associated with Complementary Feeding Practices)

Use for 4-23 months after a complete nutrition assessment is performed.

- This criterion may only be assigned after a complete assessment has been performed to assess for risk (including #411.1 – 411.11, Inappropriate Feeding Practices for Infants or #425.1 – 425.9, Inappropriate Nutrition Practices for Children) and no other risk is identified.

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### 500 Risk Series - Fear of Regression/Transfer

<u>Risk</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Criteria</u>
501.01	BE, BP, NPP, C1-C4	<p><u>Possibility of Regression at Subsequent Certification:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fear of regression in nutritional status without WIC Program benefits after a risk code from the 100, 200, 300, 400, 800 or 900 Risk Series <i>when no other risk code is identified</i>. Risk #501 <u>cannot follow</u> a certification with <u>only</u> risk from the 500, 600, or 700 Risk Series.</li> </ul> <p>EXCEPTION: Risk code 501 does not apply to previous risk(s) with respect to a pregnancy only condition. These risk conditions are directly associated with the pregnancy. For example, gestational diabetes is not a condition to which a new mother could regress.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A WIC re-certification assessment shall be completed to rule out the existence of another risk factor before assigning risk code 501.</li> <li>• The client’s record, e.g. health and diet questions form, shall contain a written statement identifying the risk factor to which the client may regress.</li> </ul>
502.01	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4	<p><u>Transfer of Out-of-State Certification:</u> (refer to Policies 3.03, 4.05 and 4.10 for additional information)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• An individual transferring from an out-of-state WIC Program with a current Identification and Verification of Certification (ID/VOC) document.</li> <li>• ID/VOC document is valid until the certification period expires, and is accepted as proof of eligibility for Program benefits.</li> <li>• If receiving local agency has waiting lists for participation, the transferring individual shall be placed on the list ahead of all other waiting applicants.</li> </ul>

## 600 Risk Series - Breastfeeding Woman/Infant Dyad

**Risk    Category    Criteria**

601.01 PG, BE, BP    Breastfeeding Mother of Infant at Nutritional Risk 100-300 Risk Series

- A lactating woman whose breastfed infant is eligible for WIC with an anthropometric, biochemical or clinical/health/medical risk.  
(See Status I, 100 thru 300 Risk Series, Policy 2.04.)

604.01 BE, BP    Breastfeeding Mother of Infant at Nutritional Risk 400 Risk Series

- A lactating woman whose breastfed infant is eligible for WIC with a dietary risk only. (See Status I, 400 Risk Series, Policy 2.04.)

602.01 PG, BE, BP    Lactating Woman with Breastfeeding Complications or Potential Complications, *any of the following*.\*

- Severe breast engorgement
- Recurrent plugged ducts
- Mastitis (fever or flu-like symptoms with localized breast tenderness)
- Flat or inverted nipples
- Cracked, bleeding or severely sore nipples
- At or older than 40 years of age
- Failure of milk to come in by 4 days postpartum
- Tandem nursing (breastfeeding 2 siblings who are not twins)

\*NOTE: If the breastfeeding complication is current, this risk code is an indication for a referral to the Breastfeeding Peer Counselor, Lactation Consultant or Health Care Provider.

### 600 Risk Series - Breastfeeding Woman/Infant Dyad

<u>Risk</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Criteria</u>
603.01	IBE, IBP, IFF	<p><u>Breastfed Infant with Breastfeeding Complications or Potential Complications, <i>any of the following</i>:</u>*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Breastfeeding jaundice (an exaggeration of physiologic jaundice and an indicator of inadequate breastfeeding)</li> <li>• Weak or ineffectual suck</li> <li>• Difficulty latching onto mother=s breast</li> <li>• Inadequate stools for age as determined by a physician or other health care professional</li> <li>• Less than 6 wet diapers per day</li> </ul>

**Note: 604 follows 601 above**

604.01	BE, BP	<p><u>Breastfeeding Mother of Infant at Nutritional Risk 400 Risk Series</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A lactating woman whose breastfed infant is eligible for WIC with a dietary risk only. (See <u>Status I</u>, 400 Risk Series, Policy 2.04.)</li> </ul>
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**700 Risk Series - Infant Enrolled Due to Maternal Risk**

<u>Risk</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Criteria</u>
700.01	Risk Series	Note: Based on whether the infant is receiving breastmilk daily at time of enrollment into the WIC Program. Once assigned, this Risk does not change.
701.01	IBE, IBP, IFF	<p><u>Non-Breastfed Infant of a Mother Enrolled in WIC During Pregnancy or not Enrolled But Would Have Been Eligible with 100-300 Risk Series (birth through 5 months)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A non-breastfed infant of a mother who was enrolled in WIC during pregnancy with an anthropometric, biochemical, or clinical/health/medical risk.</li> <li>• A non-breastfed infant of a mother who was not on WIC during pregnancy but would have been eligible to be a WIC client with an anthropometric, biochemical, or clinical/health/medical risk. (See <u>Status P</u>, 100 through 300 Risk Series, Policy 2.04.)</li> </ul>
702.01	IBE, IBP,	<p><u>Breastfed Infant of a WIC Eligible or Enrolled Mother 100-300 Risk Series (birth through 11 months)</u></p> <p>A breastfed infant of a lactating mother who was enrolled or eligible to be a WIC client any time during pregnancy, or who is currently eligible for WIC with an anthropometric, biochemical or clinical/health/medical risk. (See <u>Status PB</u>, 100 through 300 Risk Series, Policy 2.04.)</p>
704.01	IBE, IBP, IFF	<p><u>Breastfed Infant of a WIC Eligible or Enrolled Mother 400 Risk Series (birth through 11 months)</u></p> <p>A breastfed infant of a lactating mother who was enrolled or eligible to be a WIC participant any time during pregnancy, or who is currently eligible for WIC with a dietary risk. (See <u>Status PB</u>, 400 Risk Series, Policy 2.04.)</p>

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<u>Risk</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Criteria</u>
703.01	IBE, IBP, IFF	<p><u>Infant Born of a Woman with Mental Retardation or Alcohol or Drug Abuse During Most Recent Pregnancy, any <i>of the following</i>:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diagnosed mental retardation by a physician or psychologist</li> <li>• Documentation or self-report of alcohol use during most recent pregnancy</li> <li>• Documentation or self-report of illegal drug use during most recent pregnancy</li> </ul>

**Note: 704 follows 702 above**

704.01	IBE, IBP, IFF	<u>Breastfed Infant of a WIC Eligible or Enrolled Mother 400 Risk Series (birth through 11 months)</u>
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A breastfed infant of a lactating mother who was enrolled or eligible to be a WIC participant any time during pregnancy, or who is currently eligible for WIC with a dietary risk. (See Status PB, 400 Risk Series, Policy 2.04.)

**800 Risk Series - Homelessness/Migrancy**

<u>Risk</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Criteria</u>
801.01	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4	<p><u>Homelessness</u>, <i>any of the following</i>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Woman, infant or child who lacks a fixed and regular nighttime residence</li> <li>• Woman, infant or child whose primary nighttime residence is:</li> <li>• A supervised publicly or privately operated shelter (including a welfare hotel, a congregate shelter, or a shelter for victims of domestic violence) designed to provide temporary living accommodations</li> <li>• An institution that provides temporary residence for individuals intended to be institutionalized</li> <li>• A temporary accommodation of not more than 365 days in the residence of another individual</li> <li>• A public or private place not designed for, or ordinarily used as, a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings</li> </ul>
802.01	PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4	<p><u>Migrant</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Categorically eligible women, infants and children who are members of families which contain at least one individual whose principal employment is in agriculture on a seasonal basis, who has been so employed within the last 24 months, and who establishes, for the purposes of such employment, a temporary abode.</li> </ul>

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## 900 Risk Series - Other Nutritional Risks

**Risk**    **Category**    **Criteria**

- 901.01 PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4    Recipient of Abuse
- Battering within past 6 months as self reported or as documented by a social worker, health care provider or another appropriate document “Battering” refers to violent physical assaults on women
  - Child abuse and/or neglect within past 6 months  
  
Child abuse/neglect is defined as “any recent act or failure to act resulting in imminent risk of serious harm, death, serious physical or emotional harm, sexual abuse, or exploitation of an infant or child by a parent or caretaker.”
  - Refer to Michigan WIC Policy 6.02 Referrals for additional information.
- 902.01 PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4    Woman or Infant/Child of Primary Caregiver with Limited Ability to Make Feeding Decisions and/or Prepare Food
- Woman (postpartum, lactating or non-lactating) or infant/child whose primary caregiver is assessed to have a limited ability to make appropriate feeding decisions and/or prepare food
  - Examples may include individuals who are:
    - At or below 17 years of age with limited ability to care for and feed infant and/or child.
    - Mentally disabled/delayed and/or have a mental illness such as clinical depression (diagnosed by a physician or licensed psychologist).
    - Physically disabled to a degree which restricts or limits food preparation abilities.
    - Currently using or having a history of abusing alcohol or other drugs.
- 903.01 PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4    Foster Care, any of the following:
- Entering the foster care system during the previous 6 months
  - Moving from one foster care home to another foster care home during the previous 6 months.
- 904.01 PG, BE, BP, NPP, IBE, IBP, IFF, C1 – C4    Exposure to Environmental Tobacco Smoke
- Environmental tobacco smoke (ETS) exposure is defined (for WIC eligibility purposes) as exposure to smoke from tobacco products inside the home. (Also known as passive, secondhand or involuntary smoke.)